PROBLEM ACROSS THE PACIFIC

With Mike Masaoka and Sam Ishikawa called by their clients in Japan for consultation this month, it seems timely to turn our interest westward this week. It also gives Mike a chance to be relieved from the deadline pressures, but he has supplied us with interesting material to fill his spot.

While the American press (and especially the Nisei dailies) has published dispatches from Tokyo that affect U.S.-Japanese relations, very little was noted last week of Premier Ikeda's friendship tour to South and Southeast Asia. He was in New Delhi for a four-day official visit Nov. 20 following weekend talks with President Ayub in Pakistan and moved to Burma and Thailand before returning home.

This trip was being closely watched by the United States, because it closely followed the conference at Hakone where American and Japanese cabinet members had recently met and Japan was urged to take more responsibility in Asian diplomacy, economy and stability.

Both Secretary of State Rusk and ex-Undersecretary of State Bowles have stressed the importance of India and Japan in the future development of Asian democracy - which can be interpreted as American interest in developing a new power balance in Asia with Japan at one end and India-Pakistan at the other. It may be an effective means of checking Communist aggression in such places as Southeast Asia.

If India and Japan can speak out strongly whenever Communist action threatens in Southeast Asia, it may ease American burden in Asia.

At present, this power balance does not exist. The nonalignment policy of India and suspicions of new Japanese economic powers by the smaller Asian nations have prevented this development.

The U.S. has long felt that Japan and the Republic of Korea should resolve their differences and get on with economic and military cooperation in face of the Communist threat from North Korea and Red China. These differences concern WW2 reparations, fishing rights in the Korea Strait and status of Koreans living in Japan.

Some have suggested that the recent successful talks in Tokyo between Premier Ikeda and Gen. Park Chung-hee. leader of the South Korean military junta, is possibly initial evidence of American interest in forging an Asian power balance.

Gen. Park stopped in Tokyo in mid-November and his talks with Premier Ikeda were said to be most friendly.

While South Korea and India face the immediate prospect of invasion by Communist China, Japan is protected somewhat by the sea and most of all by the U.S.-Japan Security Treaty. The day Ikeda arrived in New Delhi (Nov. 20,) the Associated press reported there were new advances by the Communist Chinese along the Assam and Ladakh borders of northern India, much to the consternation of the Indian Parliament, press and public opinion.

But Japan and India do have a common problem regarding Communist China — the issue of a U.N. seat for the Peiping regime. Prime Minister Nehru has long advocated this entry and repeated his feelings during his recent trip to the United States. On the other hand, Premier Ikeda has never recommended Red China's admission as forcefully.

Ikeda's meeting with Nehru may provide some indication

on this point.

Japan also has problems with Burma and Thailand. The reparations with Burma is still unsettled. And there exists a special balance of payment question with Thailand.

This summary review of the problem across the Pacific exposes the ramifications of international relations - a subject widely discussed at the 1958 JACL convention. It now appears Providence had a hand in guiding JACL to stay clear of this complicated affair.

In order to arrive at decisions, facts must be weighed. In this instant, many of us would have to rely on the daily American press. The American press has been strong on U.S.-Japanese relations, but weak on Japan's relations with Asian neighbors. Had JACL entered international relations on a broad basis, where would we be in view of Japan taking a lead in Asian affairs and American foreign policy shifting in the Far East?

## ELECTION OF CONGRESSMAN GONZALES

Probability of many JACLers knowing a friend whose name is Gonzales leads us to comment on the recent election of Henry B. Gonzales of Texas, the first Mexican American to serve in Congress from the Lone Star State where discrimination against citizens of Mexican origin in some parts has been prevailing.

Election of this man who firmly stood up against segregation measures in the State Senate marks another step forward in the aging process of American democracy.

His election also recalls what makes America tick that Americans are all of immigrant stock, working together to make America what she is today.

That motto on our coins, "E Pluribus Unum," best describes the American way: the full participation of all Americans of whatever ancestry in national life.

## USE OF 'JAP'

We had a peek at Merriam-Webster's newest unabridged dictionary the other day at a bookstore to see how "Jap" was noted. First of all, every entry is entered without capitalization and if capicalization is required, a notation to that effect is made. After "Jap," the new dictionary comments (pertaining to Japanese) "is used disparagingly."

Now, we wish PC could afford one so we might check

some of the other terms of the same kind.

Our personal view about dictionaries is in agreement with the editors of the Merriam-Webster Third Edition that a dictionary records the use of the language, even to approving the entry of such hitherto non-words as "ain't," "irregardless," "finalize," etc. Time Magazine was "agin" it. American English is a lively language and its vim seems to be a part of its continuing growth - or don't you agree?

# MIN YASUI VOTED MOUNTAIN-PLAINS CHAIRMAN AGAIN

DENVER. - Min Yasui of Denver was re-elected District Chairman of the Mountain-Plains JACL Council, on Saturday, Nov. 25, at the regional convention held at the Cosmopolitan Hotel here.

Other officers elected for the 1961-63 term were Jack Tsuhara of Ft. Lupton, Colo., 1st v.c.; Mike Watanabe of Omaha, 2nd v.c.; Henry Suzuki of Westminster. Colo., treas.; Betty Suzuki of Westminister. Colo., council sec.; Gladys Hirabayashi of Omaha, cor. sec.; Tom T. Masamori of Edgewater, Colo., 1000 Club; Yoshiko Inouve of La Jara, Colo., hist.

K. Patrick Okura, Nat'l 1st Vice-President of the JACL, installed the new district council officers at the convention banquet held in the Silver Glade of the Cosmopolitan Hotel. Robert Y. Nakadoi of Omaha acted as the nominations and elections chairman.

### DELANO PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE **GROUP GATHERING STAMPS** TO COMBAT SOVIETS

DELANO. - Postage stamps, particularly commemorative issues are being collected by the peopleto-people committee of the Delano Chamber of Commerce to send to collectors in Africa and Asia.

Small packets of 25 stamps will be sent to schools, libraries and United States Information Service officers in many countries to help combat the propaganda of Communist nations.

A recent article in a philatelic periodical quoted Tamotsu Murayama, editor of the Japan Times and head of the Japanese Boy Scout movement, as saying stamps sent from the United States for free distribution are doing "a terrific job in combating the influence of the Soviet Communists who have been reaching stamp col-

Communist countries have for many years been distributing free, millions of colorful stamps in Afro-Asian countries particularly This distribution has helped collectors in those countries fill their stamp albums but at the same time subtly exposed them to the propaganda pictures on the stamps.

### Placer County treasurer awarded JACL Silver Pin

AUBURN. - Harry Kawahata was the recipient of the JACL Silver Pin and service award certificate for his long work in promoting many of the Placer County JACL chapter's various activities.

The presentation was made during the 21st annual goodwill dinner by Hike Yego, recognition committee chairman.

committee and director of the Dec. 31. Admission will be \$5 per ley. Foothill Baseball League.

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Oustanding AJAs

William K. Hosokawa, "Nisei of

the Biennium" 1958, conducted the

recognitions ceremonies, honoring

the six outstanding Japanese

Americans in the Mountain-Plains

region for their distinguished

achievements and contributions to

the community, including Dr. Jerry

H. Tanaka of Denver for his work

in city planning; Mrs. Mutsuvo

In appreciation for the sacrifices

Frank F. Chuman, national pres-

ident of the JACL, gave the prin-

Dr. Takashi Mayeda, who head-

ed the first postwar national JACL

convention in Denver in 1946, was

general chairman for the Mtn.-

yashi was banquet chairman, Mary

chairman, and Miko Kawano was

Dr. Mayeda was assisted by

Byron Kawata, co-chairman, Mile-

Hi and Ft. Lupton JACLers assist-

ed in the Thanksgiving weekend

affair. It opened with a Japanese

buffet supper Friday night at the

Min Yasui, district chairman,

Yoritomo, district Issei Story

presided at the business sessions.

Project chairman, chaired the Is-

sei luncheon at the Akenobo Res-

taurant Saturday. Tak Terasaki

was chairman of the convention

uncheon at the Mandarin. The

convention closed with the Sayo-

nara Ball with Betty Suzuki as

registrations chairman.

Ft. Lupton municial hall

cipal address of the evening.

Plains JACL district council pre-

community leadership.

# Fresno teacher heard telling class of Nisei treachery after Pearl Harbor; JACLer takes immediate remedial action

RESNO. - The "infrequent Fresno American Loyalty League publication, "The Reporter", last week revealed the public relations efforts of one of its members after two Sansei students heard their instructor tell the class that there were Nisei traitors in action after Pearl Harbor was bombed. The report follows:

On the Public Relations Front

Earlier in the year, Nancy Suda and Lily Suda while attending SURVIVAL classes at one of the schools heard the instructor tell the class about the activities of Nisei traitors in the days immediately following Pearl Harbor. This instructor told the class that Japanese Americans were caught signaling enemy ships and in general telling as the truth all the unfounded rumors that were so prevalent just after the Japanese attack on Pearl

Immediate steps were taken to set the instructor straight. The book, "Americans Betrayed," by Grodzins (Univ. of Chicago) was taken to him by Nancy and Lily. As most of you know, this book tells the truth about the Nisei as reported by the FBI and other government agencies.

We expected some sort of re-

### San Francisco prepares for Dec. 31 frolic

SAN FRANCISCO. - The San Francisco JACL is plunging hard into year-end activities despite a busy Holiday season, according to chapter president John Yasumoto

tomorrow with Dr. Harry Nomura papermen are expected to be presand Sat Iwamasa in charge. Mrs. ent to meet him and to listen to Yo Hironaka is chairing the chap- him. ter New Year's Eve dance. Shig Miyamoto and Steve Doi

were appointed co-chairmen of the

nominations committee. Chibi Yamamoto and Hank Obayashi were appointed temporary co-chairmen of the 1962 member ship campaign.

## CCDC's '62 greeter

FRESNO.—The Central California He was cited for his untiring District Council New Year's Eve gentleman, ladies free.

sponse from the instructor and we were ready to interview him personally, but nothing developed. Finally, just a short time ago, we were talking to A.L.L. member, Robert Kimura, about the matter. It so happens that Robert is one of the teachers in the current survival classes, and that same instructor is one of his fellow-teachers in these

Robert immediately volunteered to talk to this instructor and to put him straight. The result of the interview was that this instructor was very apologetic. He claimed that his statements were misunderstood and that his statements were that Japanese Americans were SUS-PECTED of such activities. He advised that he would make it very clear in his future lectures

that Japanese Americans were suspected of such activities, but that later evidence proved that such suspicions were unfounded. Bob is certainly to be commended for his action in this matter. We as Japanese Americans cannot afford to have such false statements spread in the

All members are asked to re-

port any similar cases so that immediate action can be taken. It has been reported that at one of the city schools there is

community.

using the term, "Japs" when our American democracy. referring to Japanese. We are must match our parents' children embarrassment among other things

# CENTRAL CALIFORNIA DC CONVENTION AT FRESHO HACIENDA THIS WEEKEND

FRESNO. - The Central Califor- bo (Fresno), toastmaster; installa nia District Council convention this | tion of 1962 CCDC and chapter weekend opens with a no-host din- officers by Chuman. ner at the Hacienda Motel and Business sessions for CCDC dele attended by National JACL Presi- gates will commence Sunday morndent Frank Chuman, Issei Story ing with Mikio Uchiyama, chair- Anthem. Project liaison chairman Akiji Yo- man, presiding shimura (who was the main speaker at the Fresno JACL Pioneer ton committee are Issei Night) and convention speaker William Hosokawa, Sunday editor of the Denver Post.

Hosokawa will speak at the convention banquet Sunday night. He has addressed JACL functions in the past but this will be his first There will be a general meeting in California and many local news-

> Convention chairman Tak Naito of Reedley this past week announced the complete schedule as follows:

Dec. 2 (Saturday) No-host dinner at Hacienda. Dec. 3 (Sunday)

James Ikemiya (Reedley), chmn. Toyama- (Fowler), Kaz Komoto Tribune. In 1946, he joined the council, Lily Okura of Omaha read (Sanger), and Ito Ikamura (Par- Denver Post, the largest and re- the Japanese American creed, and a dance will be held at Desert Inn lier), co-chmn.; bonsai display, garded as the most influential Robert Y. Nakadoi also of Omaha, member of the Issei naturalization on Whitesbridge Rd. from 9 p.m., lecture by Harvey Suzuki of Berke- newspaper in the Rockies.

Evening-Banquet, Mike Iwatsu-

Assisting Naito on the conven

Folwer), bus. prog.; Toru Ikeda half of the host chapters. (Reedley), banq. prog.; Ed Nagatani (Delano), inv. and printing; Kengo Ozumi (Parlier), recep.; and Dale Okazaki (Selma), tickets.

### Keynote Speaker

Hosokawa, who was selected as "Nisei of the Biennium-1957-58" and active Mile-Hi JACLer, was Mayor Richard Y. Batterton born in Seattle and is a graduate Denver and Lee Vetter on behalf of journalism from the Univ. of of Mayor Howard McWilliams of Washington, Between 1938 and 1941 | Ft. Lupton. he worked on various newspapers in Singapore and Shanghai. He returned in October, 1941, and was Japanese odori by the Omah evacuated to Heart Mountain Relo- dancers, including Karen Misaki, cation Center where he edited the Bonnie and Maureen Hirabayashi Morning-Golf tournament, Dr. heart Mountain Sentinel. In 1943, he moved to Des Moines

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# CHUMAN URGES REVIVAL OF MORAL PRINCIPLES TO STRENGTHEN AMERICA

DENVER. - "Guns, planes and Nat'l 1st Vice-President, adminimilitary weapons are not sufficient stered the oath of office. to win the uncommitted nations of the world to be allies of America" declared Frank F. Chuman, national president of the Japanese American Citizens League, at the seventh biennial Mountain-Plains JACL district convention held at the Cosmopolitan Hotel here last weekend.

Chuman spoke to almost 150 K. Aikawa of Denver for his work guests, pointing out that a revival in the field of medicine; Paul Hoof the moral principles among the shiko, Jr. of Kersey, Colo., for Japanese Americans is necessary leadership in agriculture; Floyd an instructor that is constantly to strengthen the foundations stoic Tsunoda for her contributions to trying to find out the name of composure, their personal integri- the cultural life of the community; ty, honor, courage and perserv- Mike M. Watanabe of Omaha, taken to put a stop to this prac- ance," he said. "We bring this Nebr. for is leadership in comtice in order to save our school heritage as our gift to America, munity activities; and Sojiro Yoriand as a token of our gratitude tomo formerly of the San Luis for our birthright as American Valley for his contributions to

> Toastmaster for the evening was Bill Kuroki of Denver. Invocation of all JACL wives, the Mtn.was given by Rev. Richard K. Hirami. The colors were posted sented a token of appreciation to by the Cathay Post 185, command- Ruby Chuman. ed by George J. Sakato, with the color guard made up by John Nakashima, Tosh Ota and Min Matsunaga. Tom T. Masamori, accompanied by Michi Ando, led in the singing of the National

> The convention was co-sponsored Plains convention. Haruko Kobaby the Ft. Lupton JACL and the Mile-Hi JACL of Denver. Presi- Takamine headed decorations, dents Byron Kawata of Ft. Lupton Gladys Taniwaki was hostesses and Tak Terasaki of the Mile-Hi chapter extended greetings on be-

### Official Greetings

Official greetings from the Stat Colorado were extended William Davoren representing Gov. Stephen L.R. McNichols, and by James C. Perrill on behalf of

Entertainment during the ban quet included a presentation and Marilyn Kaya.

In the installation of new officer: Afternoon-Talent show, Thomas and worked for the Register- of the Mtn.-Plains JACL district introduced the new officers a In 1950, he was sent to Korea nominations and elections chairman. K. Patrick Okura of Omaha

# Gen Swing retiring from I&NS top post

WASHINGTON. - President Kennedy last week accepted the resignation of Gen. Joseph M. Swing as U.S. commissioner of immigration and naturalization and named career official Raymond T. Farrell

The 67-year-old Swing, a West Point classmate of former President Eisenhower, had no comment on his future plans. His resignation is effective Jan. 1. Gen. Swing is remembered as a guest speaker at the last Na-

tional JACL Convention at Sacra-

denly looked decidedly prettier and towards whom we learn to act dictable way that people do act. He had the backing of such in stereotyped fashion. Life would who knows but that many of our Congressional supporters of a strict Why is it that we stereotype be a wearing process if we had fondest convictions will be proved immigration policy as Rep. Francis E. Walter (D., Pa.), author of the McCarran-Walter Act. Swing waged a vigorous campaign for deportation of foreign-born gangstandardized pictures for a blind-

# Miami dedicates Japanese gardens

nese Garden in Watson Park here is an acre-full of a teahouse, arbor, stone lanterns, a lagoon and a waterfall, constructed by Tokyo inlast October.

One of the most popular attractions in southern Florida, there is

Kingo Sakamoto of Japan was the landscape architect. Nearly shipped from Japan for the gar-

Chapters, which have submit-

ted articles in this week's issue.

are as follows:

Eden Township JACL Fowler JACL Fresno JACL Idaho Falls JACL Long Beach-Harbor JACL Orange County JACL Parlier JACL Placer County JACL Sacramento JACL St. Louis JACL Salt Lake JACL San Francisco JACL

Sonoma County JACL Stockton JACL West Los Angeles JACL Renew Your Membership

all. We are only revealing the what an Italian or a Swede looks that once we have type-cast the sion." It is a curious fact that Instead, he votes for the man embarrassing facts about the piclike, it is the sad fact that when world, we tend to see people in if we don't know what we're look- who fits his standardized picture tures that hang in the gallery of

# Washington Newsletter: by Mike Masaoka Stereotyping warps judgment AS AMERICANS of Japanese an- sought to match faces and na- tures. In another demonstration of unable to see what we're looking like or sound like, buys the goods

ing are those that Japanese are guishes people with glasses is just group were shown the same photo- in his book, Public Opinion, nearly opinions about other people are sneaky, untrustworthy, and sadis- bad eyes.

ourselves have a tendency to notions about the world? ignore or even to accept stereotyping of other races, creeds, and Types from a Grade B Movie national origins.

The following article "Don't Let Stereotypes Warp Your Judgement" by Robert L. Heilbroner is reprinted from the Think Magazine for June 1961.

While noting that "Stereotyped ideas can rob you of true understanding, can sour your human relations, and impair your general effectiveness", the emphasis is on the stereotyper, rather than the injustices incurred by his victims (although inferences are easily eradicate stereotypes.

rately guessed from his photo- expect them to be. graph? Does the fact that someone wears glasses imply that he

is intelligent? The answer to all these ques-

tions is obviously, "No." Yet, from all the evidence at hand, most of us believe these things. Ask any college boy if he's rather take his chances with a Gloria or a Bertha, or ask a college girl if she's rather blinddate a Richard or a Cuthbert. In fact, you don't have to ask: college students in questionnaires have revealed that names conjure up the same images in their minds as they do in yours-and for as little reason.

of persons who report "suspicious whereas we all think we know For it is the extraordinary fact great, blooming, buzzing confu- and independent fashion. a group of Nebraska students terms of our standardized pic- ing at, we are often quite literally of what a candidate "should" look stereotypes in our own heads.

At the same time, however, we tinue to entertain such cock-eyed

inveterate trait in all of us to while the "American" girls sud- a convenient handful of "types" themselves in the strangely unpre- ernment service last June. type-cast people-to imagine them, even to see them, not as they nicer. really are, but as if they stepped out of a Grade B movie. Introduce someone to a poet or a politician, a Texan or a teacher, to type-cast people in our child- types economize on our mental he "knows" what the other person will be like: the poet, of course, will be a dreamer; the politician a glad-hander who's probably educed). The article below ex- never read a book or been inside plains the way to recognize and a museum in his life; the Texan an oil man or a cattle rancher; and the teacher mousy and pedantic. Of course, the poet might Is a girl called Gloria apt to be like Wallace Stevens, who was be better-looking than one called an insurance executive, or the Bertha? Are criminals more likely politician might be like Nelson to be dark than blond? Can you Rockefeller, who is an art contell a good deal about someone's noisseur, or the Texan might be personality from hearing his voice a pianist, like Van Cliburn, or the briefly over the phone? Can a per- teacher might be a comedian like son's nationality be pretty accu- Sam Levenson. But we wouldn't

What we would expect are the The Stereotype Joke stereotypes by which we common-

## Look into the favorite suspects The Dark World of Prejudice

forms in our heads.

characters" and you will find a Stereotypes, in other words, are large percentage of them to be a kind of gossip about the world, looking"-despite the testimony of people before we ever lay eyes criminologists that criminals do on them. Hence it is not surprising not tend to be dark, foreign or that stereotypes have something to "wild-eyed." Delve into the main do with the dark world of prej- And finally, we tend to stereo- "sexy," is in danger of becoming you find you have created—nothasset of a telephone stock swindler udice. Explore most prejudices type because it helps us make a stereotype himself. He loses his ing. and you will find it to be a (note that the word means pre- sense out of a highly confusing capacity to be himself-which is Most of the time, when we typemarvelously confidence - inspiring judgment) and you will find a world, a world which William to say, to see the world in his cast the world, we are not in

cestry, we have long resented the tionalities of 15 European coun- the power of stereotypes to affect at. People who recover their sight that someone in his "situation" racial stereotype of persons of Ja- tries, they were scored wrong in our vision, a number of Columbia after a lifetime of blindness ac- life "should" own, lives the life panese ancestry as near-sighted in- 93 percent of their identifications, and Barnard students were shown tually cannot at first tell a tri- that others define for him. The dividuals with slant eyes, wearing Finally, for all the fact that horn- 30 photographs of pretty but un- angle from a square. A visitor to mark of the stereotype person is black horn-rimmed glasses, and rimmed glasses have now become identified girls, and asked to rate a factory sees only noisy chaos that he never surprises us, that featuring prominent front buck the standard television sign of an each in terms of "general liking," where the superintendent sees a we do indeed have him "typed." "intellectual," optometrists know "intelligence," "beauty" and so perfectly synchronized flow of And no one fits this strait-jacket Added to this physical stereotyp- that the main thing that distin- on. Two months later, the same work. As Walter Lippmann wrote so perfectly as someone whose graphs, this time with fictitious 40 years ago, "For the most part fixed and inflexible. How is it, then, that we con- Irish, Italian, Jewish and "Ameri- we do not first see, and then Impoverishing as they are, tucket, R.I., and has been assocan" names attached to the pic- define; we define first, and then stereotypes are not easy to get ciate commissioner of the Immitures. Right away the ratings we see." changed. Faces which were now Stereotypes are one way in which may be no better than a Grade since 1954. Prior to that he served seen as representing a national we "define" the world in order B movie, but at least we know for six years as head of the ingroup went down in looks and to see it. They classify the in- what to expect of our stock char- vestigation division.

> the world in such irrational and to start from scratch with each wrong? harmful fashion? In part, we begin and every human contact. Stereohood years. Early in life, as every effort by covering up the bloomparent whose child has watched ing, buzzing confusion with big to spot the Good Guys from the us the "trouble" of finding out Bad Guys. Some years ago, a what the world is like-they give social psychologist showed very it its accustomed look. clearly how powerful these stereotypes of childhood vision are. He They Make Us Lazy secretly asked the most popular youngsters in an elementary school to make errors in their morning gym exercises. Afterwards, he asked the class if anyone had noticed any mistakes during gym period. Oh, yes, said the children. But it was the unpopular members of the class-the "bad guys" -they remembered as being out

ties, races, religions. Just name an standardized pictures forming in- able," or all teenagers as "wild," hear ourselves saying, "Welloccupation, and its stereotype side of us, but as grown-ups we doesn't alter his point of view maybe." image lights up: tough truck dri- are constantly having them thrust when he meets a calm and de- Can we speed the process along? \$40,000 worth of material was ver, stuffy banker, dumb cop. Men- upon us. Some of them, like the liberate Genoese, or a serious- Of course we can. tion a nationality and its ready- half-joking, half-serious stereo- minded high school student. He First, we can become aware of den. made portrait jumps up from the types of mothers-in-law, or country brushes them aside as "except he standardized pictures in our page: excitable Latins, stolid yokels, or psychiatrists, are dinned tions that prove the rule." And, heads, in other peoples' heads, in Swedes, hot-tempered Irish. Think into us by the stock jokes we of course, if he meets someone the world around us. about any group of people-moth- hear and repeat. In fact, without true to type, he stands triumphanters-in-law, teenagers, women dri- such stereotypes, there would be ly vindicated. "They're all like picious of all judgments that we vers, young marrieds, cannibals— a lot fewer jokes. Still other that," he proclaims, having en- allow exceptions to "prove." There and what Walter Lippmann once stereotypes are perpetuated by the countered an excited Latin, an ill- is no more chastening thought than called a "standardized picture" advertisements we read, the behaved adolescent. movies we see, the books we read. "swarthy" or "dark and foreign- a gossip that makes us prejudge minority racial, national or reli- casts all labor leaders as "racke- F. Scott Fitzgerald once wrote: longs to such a group.

The answer seems to be an still farther down in likability, finite variety of human beings into acters. When we let them act for Swing completed 50 years of gov-TV Western knows, we learn recognizable cut-outs. They save

become for all people some of the else"-for that, too, is a stereo- dustrialist Kiyoshi Ichimura and time, and for some people all the type-but that each and every one the City of Miami and dedicated time, substitutes for observation." of them is unique, special, differ-Worse yet, stereotypes get in the ent and individual. Often we do way of our judgment, even when not even know that we have let we do observe the world. Some- a stereotype lapse until we hear an eight-ton, eight-foot granite staone who has formed rigid precon- someone saying, "all so-and-so's tue of Hotel, god of prosperity, ly picture professions, nationali- We not only grow up with ceptions of all Latins as "excit- are like such-and-such," and we at the entrance.

For instance, a Columbia Univer- justice which stereotypes do to tiny exception to topple a whole sity group has pointed out that others, they impoverish ourselves, edifice of ideas, whereas 40 percent of our national A person who lumps the world Third, we can learn to be chary population is a member of some into simple categories, who type- of generalizations about people. As gious group, less than 10 percent teers," all businessmen as "reac- "Begin with an individual, and beof our magazine fiction heroes be- tionaries," all Harvard men as fore you know it you have created "snobs," and all Frenchmen as a type; begin with a type, and telephone "personality." And cruel stereotype at its core. James once described as "one own absolutely unique, inimitable fact generalizing about people at

rid of. The world we type-cast gration and Naturalization Service

### How to Avoid a Stereotype Lapse Nor do we suddenly drop our

ing vision of the Truth. Sharp swings of ideas about people often just substitute one stereotype for another. The true process change is a slow one that adds bits and pieces of reality to the Thus the trouble is that stereo- pictures in our heads, until gradutypes make us mentally lazy. As ally they take on some of the MIAMI, Fla. - San-Ai-An Japa-S.I. Hayakawa, the authority on blurriness of life itself. Little by semantics, has written: "The dan- little, we learn not that Jews and ger of stereotypes lies not in their Negroes and Catholics and Puerto existence, but in the fact that they Ricans are "just like everybody

Second, we can become susthat in the vast intellectual adven-Hence, quite aside from the in- ture of science, it takes but one

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OUT OF THE PAST

Two events spaced exactly a week apart, almost to the hour, took me for several moments out of my preoccupation with problems of the present like "Will Lee Grosscup ever make it as a pro quarterback?" and into some nostalgic remembrances of the past.

The first was a phone call from Masumi Toyotome. Mas is the executive director of the Japanese Evangelical Missionary Society, known as JEMS to those in the movement. Before that he was the Dean of Chapel and University Pastor at the International Christian University in Tokyo. My association with Mas dates back to 1940 when he and I were active in the Associated Christian Youth, a fundamentalist Nisei group given to intensive soul-searching and vigorous hymn-singing.

The ACY was dominated by the advocates of the "up like popcorn" school of Christianity, who held that believers had to pop up and "testify" on every possible occasion. While this practice of "testifying" had the merit of tearing down some of our social inhibitions, its drawback was that we had to listen to any number of gabby females rather lengthily and repetitively proclaim their love for the Lord.

But Mas was something of an anomaly in the ACY, which for the most part was a gathering of fruit stand clerks (like myself.) Bible institute students, gardeners and disfranchised Buddhists. He was a research chemist with a master's degree from UCLA; his academic record had been brillaint and everyone was certain he would be one of the few Nisei who would distinguish himself in a white-only professional world. Moreover, with his background in the scientific disciplines he tended to be disengaged from the more feverish manifestations of religious exuberance.

After he made his decision to enter the ministry, he went to Union Theological Seminary in New York. He received his doctorate from Union, and then went to Tokyo to assume his post at ICU. I believe it was Jitsuo Morikawa who told me that it was Emil Brunner, the eminent German theologian, who had personally recommended that Mas be designated chaplain of this new university. Later I heard from a friend who was attending Union that Mas's doctoral dissertation had created quite a furore among members of the Union faculty as being one of the most original works ever submitted. Therefore, when I learned he had left ICU to join an obscure group called the JEMS, I was somewhat dismayed. An impressive talent, I felt, had been sidetracked into a blind alley.

His call came on a Saturday morning and he dropped in that afternoon. We spent the time recalling people I had not thought about for a long time: Paul Nagano, Akira Kuroda, John Nagayama, Yoneo Ishihara — all excellent men who would probably be as appalled by my apostasy as I would be deaf to their sermons. Particularly, with a kind of twinge in my heart, I remembered John Nagayama, who with his understated humor and genial tirelessness had been a great source of comfort to many of us in Manzanar.

A person like Mas is always a problem. Just by his presence he can call into question the values that one lives by. It has been my conviction for a long time that the Christian Church is an outmoded institution perpetuating some ineffectual ideas. But the one argument the Church advances which I find hard to rebut is in the character of a man like Masumi Toyotome.

The second event, also on a Saturday morning, was the arrival of a letter from Martha Anderson, a girl I used to work with at the Flatbush YMCA, when I was going to Columbia University.

Martha and I both had the title of a "Program Secretary" though I did little more than transport equipment from the office to the junior high school where we held our meetings. Martha was a tall handsome girl and as I think back on it now, we must have made some sight as we went down the street - a short, scrubby Oriental, blinking myopically, alongside a longstriding Juno-esque figure.

Martha writes that she is now at the Peninsula YMCA, working with Yori Wada and Fred Hoshiyama. Bay area is lucky to have Martha there. (Now if you people would only do something about Candlestick Park, you might begin to look like an attractive city.)

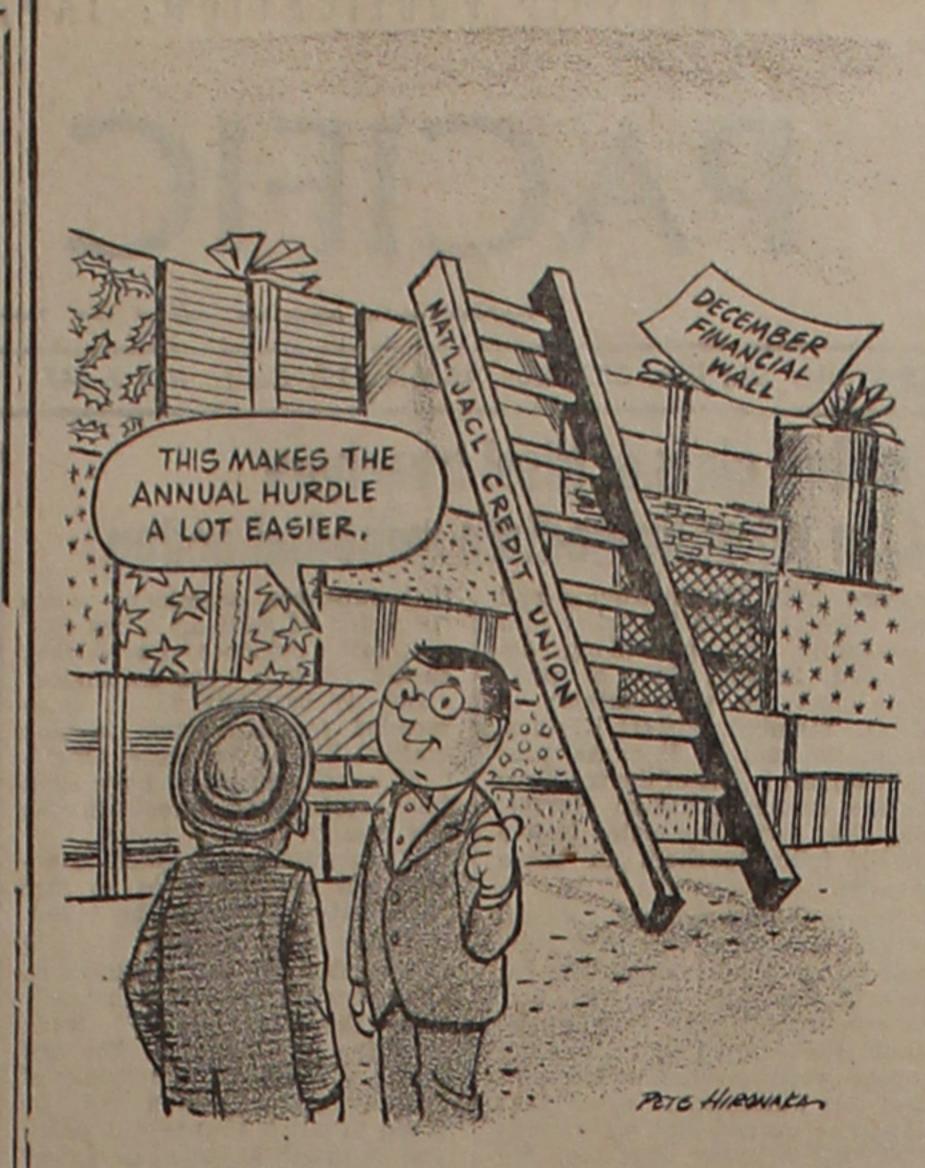
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# How About 'Buddhahead'?

lish magazine, I noticed a refer- the Isle of Man, in England, and ence, complimentary to be sure, attracts over 200,000 spectators. In 1960, he was one of those to "Jap" engineering skill. Like Several years ago the Japanese towards this colloquialism, and classes—an unheard of engineering the people. hence wrote the editor, whom I feat. In one race the first five know, incidentally. His reply was machines home were Japanese that the word "Jap" is used as Hondas. All of this has created nickname commonly in England, quite a stir in Europe, and the where it connotes no offense. On English magazines are grumblingthe other hand, he went on, the ly saying it is about time British American usage of the nickname | manufacturers start copying the "Nip" was considered highly of Japanese!

nickname should we adopt? "Bud- echoing the British grumbles? dhahead" might sound cute, but infortunately, the average Nisei San Francisco. has but a shallow comprehension of Buddhism, in the first instance. This is a problem that perhaps PC in Hawaii with us. Dr. Hayakawa?) might |

countries are of Japan's accom- have come about by magic. plishments. The magazine preca is even aware of.

Mere courtesy demands

think of calling a friend by any law was rescinded. name which is unpleasant to him -by mere courtesy. If we did so purely the result of the enlighten without knowing, most of us would ment of the Attorney General and nessee and Gaylor A. Nelson of at the door will be \$6, the coapologize and know better than to the kindness and humanity of the Wisconsin.

repeat the same error. A hundred thousand Japanese Americans do not wish to be referred as "Japs"-and this is reason enough to avoid the use of this term. To obstinately rationalize one's right to the use of this term is in itself irrational. There are unpleasant associations with this term in the personal experiences of the present generation of Japanese Ameri- SALT LAKE CITY. - Many local carry the same connotation. Dr. Noodle House. Suzuki is correct; many do use The San Francisco-born diplothis term without malice. Then mat addressed the group in both let us correct their innocence so Japanese and English on current that they would not be embar- problems affecting persons of Jarassed. I'm sure that they, and panese ancestry in America. also the Japanese Americans, Prior to their departure, the would appreciate this.

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fensive by his Japanese friends in Add to this the consternation which has followed upon Mr. Hon-Now, I know in Japan a common i da's comment that a Grand Prix nickname of some esteem is the car is being developed for entering term "Buddhahead" for any Nip- full time sports car road racing. ponese. The point is, just what Can it be Detroit will soon be

VAUGHN M. GREENI

. . . though I am glad 100 PCs care to explore. Meanwhile, do we are coming to Hawaii, I should let the British know that "Bloody be even happier if the figure were Yanks" is an acceptable substi- 10,000. Hawaii needs PC, because there are many things in it that Speaking of the British, I never the local papers don't print, and TOKYO. - Ten American goverfail to marvel at how much more the local people have the notion appreciative and aware, other that the gains made in civil rights Japan beginning next April 1. For example, we had a local United States in 1963.

viously mentioned was comment- law that made fishing by aliens ing on a tremendously significant illegal-a movement more shock- proposed by Gov. William F. Quinn occurrence, which I daresay not ing than the California law that of Hawaii. one in a thousand Nisei in Ameri- prohibited fishing by aliens for a livelihood. The local law was sim-The greatest motorcycle race in ply designed to harass and humiliate the Issei. As a result of the Wesley Powell of New Hampshire, the Sacramento JACL New Year's JACL test case in California, where the Supreme Court declared It appears that we would never the law unconstitutional, the local fornia, S.L.R. McNichols of Colo- Gordon Marvin's music has been

local administration. They have never head of the California case. This is only one such case in

thousand. ALLAN BEEKMAN

Honolulu.

## Utah JACLers meet with San Francisco diplomat

cans; and no amount of rationali- JACLers attended a recent dinner zation will ever erase these memo- welcoming Japanese Consul Genries. Probably in some future gen- eral and Mrs. Toshio Yamanaka is survived by his wife Cecilia, eration this term will no longer of San Francisco at the Pagoda four daughters, parents, brother

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LOS ANGELES. - Appointment of the two of the outstanding Issei leaders, Katsuma Mukaeda and Gongoro Nakamura of Los Angeles, to the advisory board of the Sumitomo Bank of California was announced by President Makoto Sasaki in San Francisco.

Among the first Issei who were naturalized under the Walter-McCarran Act, they actively sup-Committee, which worked for passage of the Act. Both have subsequently served as presidents of the Downtown L.A. JACL chapter. Mukaeda came to this country in 1908 after graduating agricul- in our neighborhood.

tural school in Kumamoto Ken. mamoto Kenjin Kai, and after the sion. return as president of the Japa-

nese Chamber of Commerce. In 1960, he was decorated by the Japanese government for his contributions towards the promo tion of friendly relations between the two countries and their people executive secretary of the Japar fair activities and our 1962 con- tion, reveals some astounding in-America Society of Southern Cali fornia and an adviser of the Ja | the all important job of repealing tion it without reference to the panese Chamber of Commerce. Gongoro Nakamura was born ir Okinawa and came to this country in 1906. He obtained his Bachelor sity of Southern California.

Before the war, he was the president of the Central Japanes served as president of the Japa nese Chamber of Commerce of While recently perusing an Eng- the world is held each year on Southern California. He is now serving as one of the advisers.

who was decorated by the Japamight be a good idea to acquaint chines there. This year they abso- to the promoting of friendly relathe English with our feelings lutely swept the field in their tions between the two nations and

leaders to serve on the advisory hand. board. He said "Persons of Japa- Tak has a lot plans cooking hoods of finer homes, higher inprogram and activities to advance are a fact accomplished. the economic interests of the Japanese people through the Sumitomo Bank. Their participation will bring the bank closer to the Japa-

# 10 U.S. governors

nese people."

nors will begin a 10-day visit to Japanese governors will visit the

It was reported the plan was

The 10 governors scheduled to make the trip are Republicans SACRAMENTO. - Joe Osuga and Quinn, Paul Fannin of Arizona, Ted Miyahara are co-chairmen of and Edwin L. Mechem of New Eve dance at the Masonic Temle, rado, John B. Swainson of Michi- engaged. The local people think this was gan, David L. Lawrence of Penn- Advance ticket sales at \$5 per sylvania, Buford Ellington of Ten- couple was urged for the price

> CLer slated to be Pasadena chapter president dies

PASADENA.-Requiem mass was recited Tuesday at St. Phillips Church for James H. Wakiji, 47, who died Nov. 22 after a lengthy illness. An active JACLer, he was membership chairman this year for Pasadena and agreed to be chapter president in 1962.

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# Northwest Picture

this little old town last Friday this campaign for the repeal of ported JACL Anti-Discrimination to change planes on this latest a discriminatory law in '62 will of his numerous trips to Japan. be \$50,000. It is more than twice These visits always inspire a din- our 1960 budget of \$20,000 which ner session and this time the went over the top to about \$24,000. huddle was held at the Nikko Well, on that election night, i restaurant which is right close by 1960, Mike expressed the view that

Before the evacuation, he had activities that confront us JACLers tion, and that we should not take served as president of the Los in this territory, that sometimes it sitting down. We all agreed that Angeles Japanese Association, we are tempted to use the old we would arise to fight again. president of the Central Japanese cliche about not knowing where to One matter that was brought up Association, president of the Ku- turn as the first topic of discus- in the Nikko meeting concerned

of the multilateral 1962 program, rects after making a decision. At the present time, he is the all the "glamour" jobs such Sea- showed to me after the last elec- Suite 301, 3460 Wilshire Blvd., L.A. 5 the alien land law.

to the problems of erasing this blot time of Laws degree from the Univer- of people of Jaanese ancestry in the whole state of Washington Association. After the return, he Mike in refering to the the "Mon- Valley chapter, just missed. Most up in the Idaho election.

all good JACLers, I thought it for the first time sent some ma- nese government for contributing Valley chapter who were present, by concerning the east of the for their fine support of our ac- state county. ivities, including the recent Mag- In King County, the vote by auson testimonial dinner, and it precincts in 1960 was strong for Regarding the new advisers, is your reporter's own opinion that repeal by a big majority in such President Sasaki stated that the these active and dedicated Citizen localities as Magnolia, Laurel-Sumitomo Bank felt highly hon- Leaguers from the territory down hurst Broadmore, Mercer Island, ored to have such outstanding Issei to the south of us deserve a big Bellevue, which former Seattlietes

nese ancestry, especially the Issei, up in the back of his busy ol' comes, and for purposes of this who know of the great contribu- head, and some of these concern pitch, the habitat of enlightened tions which have been made by the financing of the '62 alien land well informed citizenry. these two, will be happy to learn law repeal effort. What they are, Well, so some of us think that that they will be actively working he'll reveal when he's ready, we we understand the problem of this and supporting the bank in its feel sure, or when those plans '62 referendum, and perhaps can

## SEATTLE NISE SELECTED PHARMACIST OF YEAR

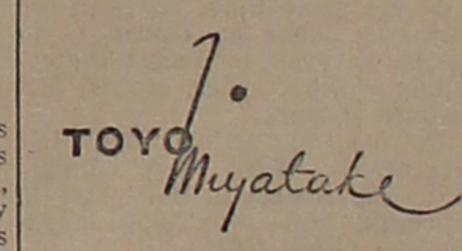
SEATTLE. - Ted Taniguchi, chief pharmacist at the Univ. of Washington Training Hospital and active JACLer here, was honored as the Pharmacist of the Year at the Puget Sound Branch of the American Pharmacy Association Oct. 17 at Ft. Lawton Officers Club.

A member of the branch since its organization, Taniguchi has served as its president.

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the bids of some eastern public But this evening, the entire ses- relations firms on doing our job sion was devoted to just one sub- for us, for a fee, of course. This ject-one that we have mentioned column will make a report when previously as an all-important task the board and committee so di-

and lest we forget that it is still The breakdown on the vote by with us during the fulfillment of precincts which Tak Kubota vention-yeah, let us not forget formation, and we'd like to menprejudicial smear campaign which The entire evening was devoted rose out of the algae at election

as it concerns the political picture Only King County (Seattle) in the State of Washington. We all voted for the repeal, and that by stuck to the subject-only one di- a substantial margin. Pierce Counversionary remark was made by ty, the locality of our Puyallup golian" referendum which comes overwhelming defeat came from heavily populated Spokane County where we have no JACL chapter. TAK KUBOTA opened the re- While we're on the subject, this marks of the evening by thanking column expects to have good news the delegation from the Puyallup for you before another month goes

will recognize as the neighbor-

do it better than any public relations firm from out of state, with our budget, that is.

Thoughts of National Convention. Century '21, Seafair, and all the queens pertaining thereto, occupy a lot of our time, but this session with Mike concerned but one problem. Thought you would like to know.

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# From the Frying Pan

WHITHER? - Speaking at the Mountain-Plains District Council meeting here last week, JACL President Frank Chuman touched briefly on a subject that is bound to be debated at length in the high councils of the Japanese American Citizens League in the months to come. That subject is the future program of the organization. Where does the JACL go from here?

This is a question the Nisei have been asking for a good many years. Shortly after the end of World War II, there were those who predicted the organization was destined for early oblivion. Yet its most effective, most productive, most important period followed. Chuman outlined the accomplishments of those years - indemnification for evacuation losses, citizenship for the Issei, the push for civil rights, the recognition of Nisei loyalty and abilities - and brought the audience up to the present.

Today the big project is the Story of the Japanese in America, a gigantic and truly worthy undertaking. But after \$100,000 is raised for this project, Foundation support lined up and the pros take over what then? Chuman mentioned a number of things such as a scholarship program to help deserving Sansei students, defense of the civil rights of all minority groups, and association with some broad humanitarian appeal. No doubt, if he had time, he would have developed the theme in detail.

Yet the truth is that the urgency has disappeared from the lives of most Nisei. The discriminatory statutes, with the notable exception of Washington's anti-alien land law, are either ineffective or banished from the lawbooks. The prejudices that remain are falling before the combined spearheads of Nisei professional accomplishment and the nationwide concern with making civil rights meaningful. The Nisei are living high on the hog, and without great causes it is difficult to keep people in a state of alert excitement.

EXHIBIT A — The temper of the just concluded Mountain-Plains meeting in an excellent case in point. By comparison with previous years, the convention was only sparsely attended. At one time the meetings drew delegates from Montana, Wyoming, New Mexico and Texas, in addition to Colorado and Nebraska. Only four chapters were represented this year. The delegates went through the motions, and everything was pleasant and socially satisfying, but the old electric feeling was missing. The bowling tournament held in conjunction with the convention drew more participants than the serious business of the banquet.

If one were to study the situation closely, there is reason to say that the issues which challenged the JACL to greatness have not been completely resolved. There are still challenges ahead. But the fact is that it is becoming progressively more difficult to persuade the average Nisei that this is the case.

WATCHDOG - Some Nisei, fully convinced of the value of an organization like the JACL, feel that its future role is that of a watchdog of Nisei rights and welfare. Presumably, it would function largely as a social organization with one eye kept open for the infrequent crises.

Such a course, it seems to me, would lead inevitably toward a more feeble organization lacking both the vigor and the machinery to meet the challenge when it rises. The alternative would seem to be a broad and militant program that would give the JACL new meaning and reason for continuing to deserve the support of the 17,000-plus membership it now enjoys. The shape of such a program would have to be hammered out by the combined efforts of all the leaders. But even at this date, the need for some serious thinking of the subject is apparent and certainly not premature.

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# NISEI SORORITY LOSES CAMPUS STATUS AT UCLA

status as an "on-campus" organi- of August.

geles dean of men, Adolph T. one delinquent narcotic case. Brugger, that the sorority had During September, there were the juvenile bureau under the com-

was taken because the Nisei group grand theft auto, gang activity and blotter, a healthy indication. does not have "on campus" quar- minor possessing gun or knife. ters. Otherwise, the Chis conform | Instead of recording a decline, recipient of a letter from the office to all other university require- in October there were 19 arrests. of Sheriff Peter J Pitchess: "We

sorority all campus privileges and Others were tampering with car; the controls are exercised by the any identification with UCLA. minors visiting poolroom; tres- parents of Japanese American

mitted by Mary Makino, daughter | sient juvenile; one male and one | ers. of architect Tom Makino, request- female, unfit homes. decision. Among the petitioners are auto; and arrest of a female for traffic violation in August. In Sepdents; JACL regional director Jim for petty theft. Higashi and Eiji Tanabe.

charter on April 5, 1929, through ber were the worst to date of ture. Two offenses were for "joyefforts of Helen M. Laughlin, dean deliquiency among persons of Ja- riding" and one male was handled of women. Since its founding, the panese descent. sorority has been active in many on- and off-campus activities, es tablishing scholarships and promoting philanthropic projects.

During the war years, it was recognized as a university organization when the school comptroller was custodian of its funds

# Montana Nisei wins

KANSAS CITY. - A 21-year-old Nisei from Montana was named Star Farmer for the 11-state Pacific region at the recent 34th annual Future Farmers of America convention where regional winners were honored.

Henry Nagamori was one of four Kansas City youths at the gather ing of 10,000 FFA from throughout the 50 states.

With the award Nagamori received \$500 in cash prize and his mother Mrs. Aya Nagamori of Loma, Mont., a special citation. Henry also received the organization's top achievement degree that of American Farmer. Only

degree is based upon establishment and achievement in farming and rural leadership abilities. Started in 1956

His start in farming began in 1956 when his parents purchased the farm which they had been leasing his farming program started with 16.6 acres of barley. In 1954 his father died and Henry assumed responsibility of operating the farm.

In 1955, he began a series of improvement programs, the most successful of which was his stubble mulch program on 445 acres By the time he graduated from high school in 1958 his total labor income had exceeded \$11,000.

Besides the crop program on the 1120-acre farm, Henry built up a herd of 30 grade Angus and Hereford beef cattle and has over 100 acres of crested wheat grass and native grass for pasture.

He has since received numerous awards for his leadership in the FFA in his state. He was salutatorian of his high school class. An all-around student at school, he L.A. FRESHMAN HEADS also participated in sports-mainly MEDICAL FROSH CLASS

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ciation of FFA, Henry is the sec- ary, 1961, and is an Air Force cific Region Star Farmer honor, active East L.A. JACLer.) the first being a Deer Lodge youth

## Bank of Tokyo to open San Francisco branch

SAN FRANCISCO. - The State Banking Department has issued permission to the Bank of Tokyo of California to establish a branch office in the Japan Cultural and Trade Center

However, since the construction of the center will not be completed for sometime, the bank has decided to commence business in temporary quarters in the neighborhood of the future site.

It will be located at the corner of Buchanan and Sutter Sts. where the Koga Grocery and Soda Fountain is presently being operated. Remodeling will begin when the approval of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation is granted.

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# Nisei-Sansei juvenile arrests in Southland mount to shocking proportions, says JAY

LOS ANGELES - The Japanese months are higher than the total American Youth, Inc. this past number of arrest in any past week released a shocking report years. LOS ANGELES. - The oldest and concerning juvenile delinquency in The figures, compiled by the largest Nisei college sorority in Los Angeles County: 14 arrests, JAY, were the results of contact

zation and will lose its many They ranged from two burg- succeeded Capt. B.J. Glavas, for privileges if appeal measures now laries, one narcotic, three for many years commander of the being made fail, it was revealed operating vehicles without consent juvenile division of the Los Anto two for lack of supervision. geles Police Dept. Glavas retired Chi Alpha Delta, whose charter There were three who were de- after 23 years of service to accept was granted 32 years ago, was tained for curfew violation, one for the position of chief of police in informed last September by the minor possessing liquor and an- Newport Beach. University of California at Los An- other for gang activity. There was In the county report, the follow-

One male was held on first de- are happy to note the few arrest The action would deny the Nisei gree burglary; two for grand theft | indicated, denoting how effective A formal petition is being sub- passing on school grounds; tran- youths and their community lead-

Dr. Carroll Parrish, dean of stu- battery stealing; two more females tember, it was a very clean

The number of arrests for these laws.'

Southern California has lost its involving all males, in the month with Captain Jack G. Collins, new juvenile division commander who

ing information was received from been reclassified as belonging to 16 arrests of Sansei juveniles, in- mand of inspector Harold Stallings. cluding two females. They included In July, one male was arrested Under the new regulations gov- assault, possession of weapons, for burglary; in August, another erning student organizations, re- petty theft, operating vehicle with- for curfew violation. In September vised on July 20, 1960, the action out permission, one hit-and-run, none was listed on the police

In this connection, JAY was a

In Gardena, there were no ar-

The Jay indicated the statistics In August, in Pasadena there The sorority was granted its for August, September and Octo- were three detentions of minor na-

# Christmas Cheer passes halfway mark in bid for \$3,000; local charity events set

1961 Christmas Cheer campaign ends, donations in the past two weeks amounted to \$408 for a current total of \$1,703.23 or 56 pct of the \$3,000 goal, according to Cheer Chairman Fred Taomae.

Sandy Saito, senior A student | Ikeguch west L.A. Christmas Cheer benefit dance tomorrow night at the Old Dixie Ballroom.

Dec. 10 was designated "Cheer Total Donations To Date ....\$1,703.23 Sunday" for Southland churches, which is gathering canned goods. staples, toys and other gifts for Christmas Cheer packages, expected to go to close 200 needy Japa-

tournament going to Cheer. Donations in the past weeks are

CHRISTMAS CHEER DONATIONS November 13-18 Incl.

M.D., Nishi Hongwanji Fujinkai. Sadako Hikida, Imperial Gardens. Fujimoto Bookkeeping Service, K. how the tournament was going. Sako, T. Suyehiro, Mrs. Mary Mit-

twer, Dr. Tsuneo Murakami M.D., Eichi Yasuda. S2 - Michael Tanaka. Motor Service, I. Nakamura.

CHRISTMAS CHEER DONATIONS November 20-25 \$25 — East Los Angeles JACL, Nise

Henry's net worth today is esti- 35671/2 Sabina St., Los Angeles mated in the excess of \$160,000. was elected freshman class presi-His vocational agricultural teach- dent at New York Medical Coler attributes Henry's success to lege. Flower and Fifth Avenue the fact that the young farmer Hospital. He is the lone Nisei in Fujii, gifts; Mmes. Mary Iyemura, jiki, onetime Columbia recording puts into practice what was taught a cosmopolitan class of 128 mem him and is continually striving for bers and was elected on the first Mrs. I. Hamasaki, inv.; and Machi Fujima Kansuma and Hanayagi In the 31-year-old Montana Asso- USC with an AB degree in Januond boy to have attained the Pa- veteran. (His sister Shiz is an

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ing reconsideration of the recent | Four were caught for grand theft | rests in July and only one for a

for "violation of road and driving

\$2 - Kazue & Roland Alexis, Rose's

Total This Week (Nov. 20-25).. 174.00

a hidden handicap bowling tourna- tions

the "big daddy" of local bowling

tournaments. Farrell is also vice-

Council for Retarded Children and

George Hower, Jr., sports editor

a board of trustees member of

of the Press Democrat, in his

column last week asked Farrell

Farrell said it was closer to being

a flopperoo. The Rose Bowl was

HAYWARD. - Preparations are

completed for the annual Eden

tomorrow night at Ashland Gram-

Township JACL Christmas party

evening and distribute the gifts.

Yule treat tomorrow for

Eden Township children

165th Ave., San Leandro.

Tomotoshi, sound.

the Sonoma State Hospital.

the tournament felt it could be rell told Hower.

Belmont High, was named 'Miss Christmas Cheer' and will be introduced at the annual South- Beauty Salon

Another Cheer charity event has been announced by Fred Miyata, director of the Crenshaw Athletic Bridge Club, on Friday, Dec. 15 with proceeds from the bridge noma County, Petaluma and Ukiah ing holiday at Sacramento, Far-

as follows:

\$30-Maryknoll Church (St. Joseph's in making the announcement of Was their idea and thought," Far-\$10 - S. Nitta, Okinawa Club, San president of the Sonoma County yano, pres.; Min Furuta, v.p.; and Fernando Valley JACL, Clearwater \$5 - Mrs. Kimino Sekino, Y. Shiga, Hinode Tofu, Ninomiya Studio, Frank Higa, Gardena Phcy, Otemo, Yoshimi Katako, Mrs. Chiyoko Sakamoto, Ray \$3 - Joe Nomoto, G. Y. Tauchi,

\$1 - George Shiorishi, Certified CHEER FUND RECAPITULATION Total Previously Reported ...\$1295.23

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then dethroned the perennial tour- (WLA) and Tom Shigei (LBGyros). nament finalists, Gardena, 58-40 in Assisting Glenn Tanamachi their semi-finals. Gardena had tournament chairman, were Terry been a finalist at every tourna-Kobata, youth commissioner; Mr. ment since its inception in 1957. and Mrs. Jim Okura, Mr. and In the consolation title round, Mrs. George Nakamura, dance Southwest L.A. came from behind Darlene Hiroto, Kathy Shiba, posto nip Venice-Culver 38-35. Southters; Arthur Noda, photo; Mr. and Total Previously Reported ....\$1,529.23 | west was trailing 20-4 at halftime. Mrs. Sum i Fujimoto, printing Nishino, Roy Tanamachi, Allan Ko-

DOWNTOWN L.A. CAGERS WIN

Downtown L.A. wins Long Beach cagetest

LONG BEACH. - Led by the hara presented the Richard Nishi-

er" Warren Lee and lanky Tets Lee, playmaker for the champions.

chapter won the championship of individual scoring record with 95

the fifth annual Long Beach | points in three games, Walt Kata-

Harbor JACL basketball invitation- oka of West L.A. set a new high

over the Thanksgiving weekend, addition, Grant Hiraoka and Glenn

coasting to a convincing 62-46 win Tanamachi of Long Beach and

Long Beach JACL initiated Paul Sumida (Gardena); Tad Ta-

ney by whipping them 42-21 and James Ohi (LB); Don Kame

al at the City College gym here of 44 points in one game.

player" honors); standing are

Thomas Kato, Tets Tanimoto,

Andy Sasaki of Ventura County

were voted to the tournament all-

award went to Venice-Culver.

star team. The sportsmanship

Given all-star honorable mention

were Thomas Kato, DTLA; Wayne

Miyashiro, Lindy Kim (SWLA).

kamatsu (Venice); Richard Saka-

moto (Ventura); Melvin Louis

Downtown L.A. JACL copped the

fifth annual Long Beach-Harbor

JACL invitational basketball

tournament championship last

week. In front are Tom Oshita,

Gary Matsuo and Warren Lee

(awarded the 'most valuable

The Downtowners pasted a

young and inexperienced Long

Beach Gyros 83-45 in the pre-

minaries and outlasted a scrappy

77-60 in the semi-finals.

West Los Angeles Jesters team

Ventura County JACL to this tour-

At the awards dance, May Ishi

Sonoma County JACL League vol-

The Sonoma County JACL Bowl-

ing League is headed by Jim Mi-

Ed Ohki, sec.-treas. All bowlers

must be JACLers to roll in this

TORRANCE. - Francis Ota was

elected president of the "Friends

of Richard" club recently. A com-

munity service group, the club was

shimoto, popular valley athlete, by

formed in memory of Richard Ni

show to mark ninth year

LOS ANGELES. - Radio Li'l To-

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present a talent show and Santa p.m., at Koyasan Hall with Ma-

Claus will arrive to climax the tao Uwate as producer and emcee.

On the committee are Mrs. Ma- CLer is staging a four-part review

sako Minami, talent; Mrs. Allyce of talent and dancing. Bernice Ka-

Kazuko Hironaka, refr.; Mr. and artist, and the dancers of the

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ment to raise \$3,000 for the So- Before leaving on a Thanksgiv-

Tom Farrell, who is a 1000 unteered to postpone bowling one

Clubber of Sonoma County JACL, week and enter en masse. "It

for helping Retarded Children's fund

and Frances Ishii, pub. The complete tourney scores: Preliminary rounds Downtown Los Angeles JACL 83, West Los Angeles Jesters 67, South- numbers over 200. The division Long Beach JACL 42, Ventura title will move Englewood into the

bata, Takeshi Ryono, gen. arr.

Gardena 58, Venice-Culver JACL 298 Downtown Los Angeles 77, West Los councils for Retarded Children was rell said the 32 bowlers in the Angeles 60. Long Beach JACL 58, Gardena 40. the Midwest Golf Club this year. Downtown Los Angeles 62, Long

Consolation rounds Long Beach Gyros 20, Southwest Los Southwest Los Angeles 38, Venice-

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tering the crucial clash of small college powerhouses. Whittier had won the SCIAC title for the 14th time in its 54-year grid history. Linfield won the Northwest Conference title for the first time. Whittier scored its only TD early

Nisei star in NAIA

McMINNVILLE, Ore.—Behind 7-6

at halftime, Linfield College scored

twice in the second half to de-

feat Whittier College 18-7 last

Saturday in an NAIA semi-final

playoff game here. Linfield plays

Pittsburg (Kans.) State in the

Camelia Bowl Dec. 9 at Sacra-

mento for the NAIA championship.

Both squads had 9-0 records en-

playoff, Linfield

defeats Whittier

in the second quarter when quarterback Sei Miyano connected a 14-yard pass with end Stan Sanders. Miyano kicked the PAT. Although behind 18-7, Whittier in the final quarter had a cinch TD manager Mac Hamaguchi (who when Sanders streaked into the happens to be youth chairman for open on the Whittier 40 and caught Southwest L.A.JACL) and Doug a pass from Miyano. With no one near him, Sanders fumbled at midfield and a Linfield pursuer recov-

One of the stars of the Linfie 1 juad is Honolulu-born Hugh Y >hida, a 190-lb, linebacker, who tournament's "most valuable play- moto Memorial Trophy to Warren Week" for his play against Wil-Tanimoto, the Downtown L.A. Tets Tanimoto set a tournament Portland Linebackers. Called "Yo-Yo" by his teammates, the opposition have said he and the pair of deep backs can smellout a play. If need be, Yoshida can and does run at offensive fullback and rated as the hardest runner when a first down is at stake.

## Nisei-coached grid team wins title CHICAGO. - The Englewood High

football team, coached by Yosh Yamada, won the South Blue Division title but lost a close 14-13 layoff battle to Roosevelt for the City Public League Blue Division Championship on Nov. 17 in Soldier field, in which Englewood was a slight underdog. Both teams went into the playoff with identical This is Englewood's second Blue

Division title in four years under Yamada since the city's high schools were divided into three divisions according to the size of the schools. Englewood ended its season rated in the top 20 among the Chicago land schools, which White Division in 1962 pitting the team against larger schools. Yamada is an active 1000 Club member and served as president of

Ventura County 53, Venice-Culver

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# Regional Review

Rocks from State

a crowning feature of this beauty

These are but a few of the

bly, at the rate it is proceeding,

outstanding projects on the Wes

to head Seattle CL

Uyeno, 3rd v.p.; John Aoki, treas.;

Edde Shmomura, Fred Taka-

Sad Ishimitsu, Frank Kinomoto,

Ken Nogaki, Peter Ohtaki, Mrs.

sworn in with Puyallup Valley

and White River Valley chapter

joining the Sea-Tac airport Dec.

9, 7:30 p.m. National Director Mas

Satow will be the principal speak-

er. Sharing the spotlight will be

Sim Togasaki, national finance

Kay Toda is dinner chairman.

chairman, will install the officers.

Cooking demonstration

to follow Auxiliary voting

SAN FRANCISCO. - The San

Francisco JACL Women's Auxil-

iary will have an election-cooking

at the Buddhist Church on Pine

and Octavia Sts. from 7:30 p.m.

preside over the election meeting

Mrs. Toshiko Kenmotsu will be the

chairman of the cooking demon-

stration, following the election

meeting and will present Mrs. To-

yoko Yamoto who will cook and

demonstrate fancy French dishes

Mrs. Yamoto has taught cooking

at Tokyo women's university and

DOROTHY HIURA TO SING

AT PACIFIC GROVE

curtains rising at 8:15.

BEAU J'S CHRISTMAS

EVE BALL SCHEDULED

Via San Clemente with Victor

semi-formal, it was announced by

Maebelle Higa, active Southwest

Miss Sumi Fujita, president, will

demonstration meeting on Dec.

chairman for the Issei Story pro-

Min Suyama and Paul Tomita.

William Mimbu

After going through proper chan-

## • NC-WNDC-Micke Grove Project Nears Completion

Stockton | the county \$200. Rapidly nearing completion, with Oki Nursery of Sacramento dolittle fanfare, is a project that nated a 100 Japanese flowering will add nearly a quarter of a cherry trees worth about \$350. million dollars in value to San To get an idea of the scope of this operation, however, just try

The Japanese Garden, land- to picture one of the many huge scaped by architect Nagao Sakurai operations that were necessary. of Tokyo, is primarily being built from monetary donations from Japenese Americans throughout the nels, the State of California apcounty of San Joaquin and the proved the gift of 400 tons of state of California, although a few rocks from the Knights Ferry area Caucasians are contributing. It has about 15 miles east of Oakdale, brought forth some extremely in- for which the State Highway Department can be thanked, as well. teresting figures to date.

This Micke Grove project, ex- Stockton SeeBee Reserve Trainpected to be completed by early ing Unit under Commander Paul next summer, was started almost F. Dryers took two weekends, bortwo years ago, and some of the rowed U.S. Navy equipment (which work and donations are almost be- included a 30 ton crane) and yond belief. The garden itself was hauled this tremendous amount of the brain-child of Duke Yoshimu- rock into Micke Grove. ra, an employee at Micke Grove, Frank Kosugi of French Camp a county park. Duke is a mem- donated the use of his tractor for ber of the Stockton Chapter JACL. several weeks which would have

The Nishi Nursery in Los An- set the project fund back to the geles donated a stone lantern tune of \$25 per day if the tractor which is valued at about \$250. The were rented. Uoki Nursery in the same area Volunteer labor by the Stockton has given three "ume" (Japanese Japanese Gardeners Club and Lodi plum), trees and various shrubs Gardeners Club augments county which would have cost in the park employees for the project. neighborhood of \$900.

tetsu" palms which cost about constantly add beauty to the sur-\$150, and the Yoshimura Nursery roundings. Planned is a pump that in San Gabriel has donated 25 will keep a constant flow of water camellia and azalea plants valued from the waterfall that will be

Matsuda Nursery Gives

The Matsuda Nursery in Sacramento has given three large white birch trees, value \$750, 20 camellias, value \$200, two black pine trees; value \$150, 30 rose bushes value \$150, an oriental magnolia bush, value \$500, as well as many other trees and shrubs.

The Waukeen Azalea Garden in Ripon donated 400 azalea bushes which would cost over \$2,000, and the Nakata Nursery Garden Center in Manteca has provided 200 junipers costing around \$300. Ikemoto Landscape Contractor of

weeping cherry tree costing \$25. Board and well-known attorney, for the meeting. but in addition put in three days was elected 1962 president of the of real tough and hard work in Seattle JACL, succeeding Phil Hathe garden.

Mrs. Burton Towne of Lodi has | Serving with Mimbu are Mrs given the Japanese Garden a beau- Paul M. Suzuki, 1st v.p.; tiful antique stone lantern worth Kay Toda, 2nd v.p.; Dr. Ben at least \$300.

Gordon Guiberson of West Los Mive Ishikawa, rec. sec.; Lillian i Angeles, a wealthy oil man, has Tada, cor. sec.: Tom S. Iwata, donated a stone lantern which hist. he also give eight bronze bridge Fujii, Heitaro Hikida, George Ka-

## HOLIDAY AD BOXSCORE

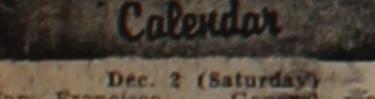
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lid-Columbia, Mile-Hi, Cincinnati Milwaukee, Omaha, Parlier, Rexburg, Ventura. Washington, D.C., Sonoma is also well-known for her French PASADENA, - "Go For Broke" 



Eden Township - Christmas party, Ashland School, 7:30 p.m. etroit-Election meeting. Fresno-Pre-convention dinner. St. Louis-Inaugural dinner, Carpenter

Southwest LA .- Christmas Cheer ben- LOS ANGELES. - The Beau J's Harris Ozawa, gen. arr. efit dance, Old Dixle ballroom, 9 p.m. Mid-Columbia—PNWDC Convention.

mas Eve Ball Dec. 24 at the at .: Whing Ding, H&V Cafe, 7 p.m. Montebello Country Club, 901 N. Sun: Bowling, Orchard Lanes; bust ness session, Hood River Hotel; banquet, Wy East High School, 6 p.m. Zolo's music. The affair will be Dec. 3 (Sunday) Fresno-CCDC Convention, Hacienda. Dec. 6 (Wednesday) San Francisco - Auxiliary election, L.A. JACLer, in charge of pub-

Buddhist Church, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 9 (Saturday) -Pocatello - Footello Teens rummage

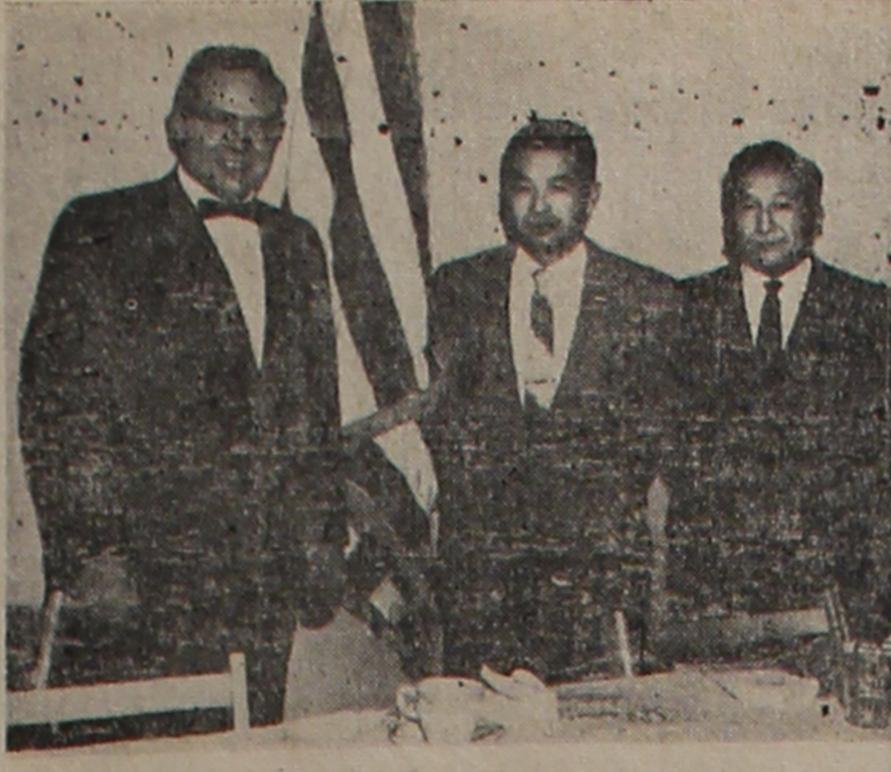
Long Beach - Installation dance. Seattle-Puyallup Valley - White River Valley - Joint installation dinnerdance, Hyatt House, Sea-Tac Airport. Dec. 18 (Sunday) Chicago - Teen Charm School, Olivet

Community Center, 2 p.m. Dec. 16 (Saturday) Sonoma County - Christmas party. Pasadena - Christmas party, Presby-

Dec. 17 (Sunday) Milwaukee - Christmas party, Mitchell Park Pavillion, 6 p.m. Long Beach - Christmas party. hiladelphia - Christmas party, International Institute. Mt. Louis - Christmas party C. - Christmas party, Glenmont

Recreation Center, Wheaton, 2 p.m. Dec. 30 (Saturday) ong Beach - New Year dance. Dec. 31 (Sunday) New Year Eve Dances Sacramento - Masonic Temple, 12th &

Secucia - (Locale not reported). Detroit - Hotel Statler. Mile-Hi - Cosmopolitan Hotel, Denver. 10 p.m. Fresno - CCDC dance, Desert Inn.
San Diego - (Locale not reported).
San Francisco - (Locale not reported).



### IDAHO FALLS INSTALLATION

Taking prominent roles at the Idaho Falls JACL installation are (from left) State Rep. Orval Hansen, House Majority Leader, main speaker; past IDC chairman Joe Nishioka, who heads the committee to repeal the Idaho constitution barring Oriental naturalized citizens from voting; and Ronnie Yokota of Pocatello, IDC 2nd v.c., who was the installing officer.

# Author of bill eliminating anti-Oriental voting law addresses Idaho Falls JACLers

amendment to the Idaho State Con- of this republic." Just completed is the 11,000 stitution to provide citizens of Oriental extration a right to vote. highlighted the Idaho Falls JACL eral election propositions. dinner meeting Nov. 18 at the

ond vice chairman of the Inter- the new officers success. mountain District Council was the installing officer and gave the oath to the following: startling statistics that are going

Sach Mikami, pres.; Stanley Yamato result in providing a showplace mura, v.p.; Jun Nukaya, treas.; May in Northern California, and proba- Ogawa, rec. sec.; Martha Sakaguchi, sec.; Charley Hirai, Deto Harada, it shall become one of the most social; Miki Kobayashi, Misa Haga Mikami, Shoji Nukaya, sgst.-at-arm Fred Ochi, 1000 Club; Bud Sakaguchi editor: and Sam Yamasaki, photog. of the Intermountain Council, who nors. called for the amending of Article I tion, which prevents the voting Nishio as president for the coming

Unanimously Passed

Hansen was floor sponsor of the joint resolutions, which provided for the elimination of the discrimnatory language in the Constitution. It was unanimously approved by both Houses this year.

also come into the picture. He 1000 Club; Elmer Ogawa, pub. constitution we have, in effect, two del. classes of citizens. Persons of Oriwould have cost about \$150, and Board members include Yoshito ental ancestry, who are American citizens, but who were not born crowns that could easily have cost wachi, Nishi Kumagai, Mitsugi No- in the United States are barred from voting or holding public ofgi, Charles Toshi, Frank Hattori, fice.

said, "to a group of loyal and John Kubota, Masako Inada, Setsu ceeding Thomas Toyama. dedicated Americans. It singles out Hirasuna, James Kubota, Fusa The new officers will be jointly and discriminates against a race which has contributed greatly to Dr. Kikuo Taira. the building of this nation. It vioofficers at the Hyatt House, ad- lates the spirit of our Declaration of Independence and the high prin-

## ORANGE COUNTY LISTS EIGHT FOR SIX POSTS

SANTA ANA .- A slate of eight candidates to fill six vacancies on the Orange County JACL Frank Hattori, national 1000 Club board of directors was announced by chapter president Henry Kanegae this week.

Consenting to run for office are James Yamasaki, engineer; Tom Hide, florist; Min Inadomi, attorney; Bill Marumoto, Whittier College director of alumni relations: Harry Matsukane, postal employee; Dr. M. Ogata, M.D.; Arthur Hiroshima, Chico Farms, Inc., manager; and Hitoshi Nitta, farmer.

The election is being conducted by mail at the present time and tabulation in mid-Decmeber in expected.

## 'Go For Broke' scheduled at Pasadena Dec. 16

and Japanese cooking in the Bay will be screened at the Pasadena JACL Christmas potluck party "Arigato gozaimasu." scheduled Dec. 16 at the Pasadena Presbyterian Church hall, it was reported by chapter president SAN JOSE. - Mrs. Dorothy Hiura | Mack Yamaguchi.

Slate of 1962 officers will be will sing the lead role of Madame will have their third annual Christ-

IDAHO FALLS. - Calling for an ciples, which guided the architects

A referendum to remove the objectionable Article from the Conpic Nursery has given two "so- ly drained so that fresh water will and the installation of new officers, stitution will be one the 1962 gen-Leo Hosoda, outgoing president, expressed his apreciation for the Ronnie Yokota, Pocatello, sec- chater for its support and wished

# Fresno ALL elects Dr. Frank Nishio

FRESNO. — Under a news system of electing its officers, the Fresno American Loyalty League has cho-Fred Ochi was master of cere- sen nine members to serve twomonies and Joe Nishioka, Idaho year terms and nine more for one-Falls, immediate past chairman year terms to its board of gover-The board held its first meeting

6. Section 3 of the State Constitu- Nov. 16 and elected Dr. Frank Sacramento donated not only a SEATTLE. - William Mimbu, one- privilege, introduced Rep. Orval year. An optometrist, he helped to black pine valued at \$50 and a time secretary to the National Hansen (R., Bonneville), speaker activate the Imperial Valley JACL several years ago.

Other members of the cabinet are Dr. Chester Oji, 1st v.p.; John Kubota, 2nd v.p.; Ken Mayeda, treas.; Sally Slocum, ree. sec.; Masako Inada, cor. sec.; Dr. Henry Kazato, asst. treas.; Jin | Ishikawa, 1000 Club; Fred Hira-He pointed out: "Under Idaho's suna, del.; Dr. George Suda, alt.

Serving two-year terms are Henry S. Mikami, Mike Iwatsubo, June Toshiyuki, Dr. George Suda, Jin FOWLER.-Tom Tokio Nakamura "This is an affront," Hansen Frank Nishio, Dr. Chester Oji, the Fresno Hacienda Motel, suc-Mikami, Dr. Robert Yabuno and Ken Hirose, pres.-elect; Ichio Ta-

Pioneer Issei Night favorable comments from its re- Shirakawa, del.; Kay hiyama, alt cent pioneer Issei Night program | del.; Thomas Toyama, pub.; and Nov. 12 at the Buddhist Church George Tanaka, ath. Annex. Of special interest was the display of old photographs gathered from family collections showing prominent Issei and Nisei in their very much younger days. A handsome souvenir booklet

with the following words: "This Pioneer Issei Recognition Night souvenir booklet is dedicated to our beloved Issei. They came to America, a strange country, with customs and institutions so different from their own. Yet ra Ohno, chapter president. here they made their homes, and here they raised their families.

published for the occasion opened

"They toiled, they struggled, and they made tremendous sacrifices, always with the goal in mind that their children might enjoy a better life than they did.

the dividends of their toil, their so very hard to give us education, Takeo Yabuta. material goods, spiritual guidance

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of the American Association of Sunday and Feature Editors.

# Parlier JACL picks Bob Okamura prexy This is a subject which may facing those days, be revived at a national convention. It was still the era when a

ta, v.p.; Tom Takata, treas.; No geles chapter which had been was accepted as the start of pro- be guiding the destiny of the orboru Doi, rec. sec.; Tak Kimoto, agitating for proportional repre- portional representation since the ganization which I had helped to cor. sec.; James Goishi, pub.-hist.; sentation. As a large chapter, it amount paid per chater would be found. I would not be able to James Kozuki, social; Frank Ma- felt that the smaller chapters were larger for the bigger chapters, blame anyone else for whatever ruyama, ath.; Kengo Osumi, 1000 having too great an influence. This was expected to lead to the may happen to the JACL during Club and del.; John Kashiki, alt.

### Parlier Auxiliary elects

PARLIER. - Jean Kobashi was elected chairman of the Parlier JACL Auxiliary for the coming

Serving on her cabinet are Eleanor Doi, v.c.; Mitzi Osumi, rec. sec.; Irene Kozuki, cor. sec.; and Momi Miyakawa, treas.

# of Selma chapter

ELMA. - The Selma JACL will be headed by Elmer Kobashi, newly elected president for 1962. Other officers are George Tokunaga, 1st v.p.; Toshio Shimamoto, 2nd v.p. Gladys Shimamoto, 3rd v.p.; Sus Komoto, treas.; Myrtle Arakaki, rec. sec.; Jean Teraoka, cor. sec. Miyeko Baba, corr.; Meri Misaki, hist.; Dale Okazaki, del.; Max Kawano, alt. del.

The officers will be installed at the mass rites this Sunday a the CCDC Convention banquet.

# Tom Nakamura

saki, assistant health officer of was graduated from Berkeley in Ishikawa, Fred Hirasuna, Dr. Hen- will be installed as president of Contra Costa County and Dr. Wil- 1928 and received his Ph.D. in ry Kazeto, Ken Mayeda and Sally the Fowler JACL at the CCDC liam N. Takahashi, professor of 1932 from the same university. Slocum; one-year terms: Dr. convention banquet this Sunday at plant pathology at the University.

the Contra Costa JACL, is cur- He also demonstrated the presence keno, 2nd v.p.; Peter Nakayama, rently president of the Japanese of anomolous protein in virustreas.; Tiyo Yamaguchi, rec. sec.; Women Alumnae Assn. of the Univ. The chapter has received many Joe Yoshimura, cor. sec.; Tom of California and president-elect of to nucleis acid extracted from the the Concord Soroptomist. She was graduated from Berkeley in 1929 in bacteriology, from John Hopkins Medical School and interned at

> were announced on the West Los Angeles JACL ballot to fill vacancies on the chapter board for zanar Relocation Center. Later she a two-year term, according to Aki- became pediatric resident at New

Holdover board members serving their final year are Harry "We, their children, have reaped Fujino, Jiro Mochizuki, Tani Sakaniwa, Roy Takeda, Shig Takeshita, sweat and their tears. They tried Norio Takeuchi, Tad Tokuda and

New officers will be installed at the Santa Monica Elks Club on "In the twilight of their lives, Saturday, Jan. 20 at a dinnerwith words that are so inadequate, dance. Chester Yamauchi will be in charge of the dinner. A name band will be selected at the next board meeting.

San Francisco - General meeting. Butterfly again this Saturday at announced at the party by Butch ST. LOUIS.—Noboru Honda, MDC which was well received. Local Pacific Grove Jr. High School with Tamura, nominations chairman. Issei Story chairman, and Dr. Japanese merchants were more Party committeemen include Frank Sakamoto, MDC chairman than generous donating door Tom Ito, food; Dr. Ken Yama- both of Chicago, will be the guest prizes. Troop 39, headed by scoutguchi, emcee; Mack Yamaguchi, speakers at the St. Louis JACL master Tak Tanabe, sold refresh-Santa Claus; Anna Oishi, inv.; inaugural dinner tomorrow night ments. Proceeds will be used for

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(Continued from Front Page) and to Japan to cover the anti- Wakasugi.

Among his professional affiliations, Hosokawa has been president l

PARLIER. - Bob Okamura will head the Parlier JACL for 1962, taking over the reins from Kengo national budget seems to be set legiate training. Osumi, outgoing president.

# Elmer Kobashi head

# neady Lowiel Jack

ice. They were Dr. Yoshiye Toga- Chi. Born in Oakland in 1905, he

Other officers for 1962 include

LOS ANGELES. - Eight members where she met with a rebuff because of her ancestry. She helped being prepared for Cal-Tech and six establish the medical unit at Man-

They are Mrs. Helen Ishikawa, joined the U.S. Public Health Serv-Mrs. Toy Kanegae, Haru Nakata, Mits Nishizawa, Richard Okinaga, George Sakamoto, James Kitsuse and Joe Sase.

her assignment. After much nego- tural research for WRA, Arizona

The Nov. 18 chapter talent show was a tremendous success. Mmes Ayako Yabuta and Mary Akashi were chairmen; Dick Sasaki was writer and director of the shibai local needy families.



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Living with JACL: by Saburo Kido

# 1940 Portland Convention

Part X: Beginning

pan. Last year, he went to Paris from August 28 to Sept. 2. The the member closer to each other. months. to cover the Summit conference general chairman was Mamaro And it was felt that a contribution This national convention was

prior to the convention, Southern to be made as the members ad- to their country, the United States.

represented a powerful bloc of Angeles. votes, it was more or less con- The very fact that such a proceded that whatever was agreed ject was being under consideration upon would pass with amendments seriously gives an indication of the if any with merit should be pre- discrimination in jobs which per-

by some of the larger chapters, college graduate could not find the presidency at the most critical Inasmuch as the quota towards the any job to make use of his col- time. But it seemed like fate that tled, it is possible that nothing National membership card was dent when war clouds were getting Others elected were Gerald Oga- will be said. It was the Los An- another item on the agenda. This thick. At least, I-felt that I would

> whatever quota determined to organization would arise. equal that of the larger chapters in order that there would be no proportional representation. In other words, the proposals had had been based on the fact that the larger chapters would be paying more towards the national budget and have little voice in making the determination, which most likely would raise their quota.

## Fraternal Insurance

terest which had been coming up vention in the name of the disfor discussion at the national con- trict council. In order to help ventions was that of fraternal in- Oakland, the Northern California of America was operating one, amount to raise working capital which was more of a "koden club" for the convention. because there could be no ac- This money was subsequently tuarial basis since most of those turned over to National Headquarwho became members were past ters during the war years to

BERKELEY. - The Univ. of Cali-, ment

fornia Japanese Alumni Associa-

Dr. Carl Hirota made the pre-

Dr. Togasaki, past president of

L.A. County General Hospital

where she eventually became chief

resident in communicable diseases.

health, she applied for admission

at the Yale School of Public Health

ice for overseas work.

over a 150-mile area.

to do liaison work.

She returned in 1947 to San Fran-

cisco, immediately employed by

In 1949, she received a scholar-

ship in public health at Harvard,

awarded her master's degree in

public health and returned to her

job in California. In order to do

something more satisfying, she re-

signed from her post, took a pay

cut and joined her present depart-

Age 27-40. Married, college. With

evidence of success in past busi-

ness record. Permanent resident

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UC Japanese Alumni cite Dr. Togasaki,

Dr. Takahashi for outstanding service

tion, at its big game reunion last the American Association for Ad-

week, cited two of its members vancement of Science, American

for distinguished a c a d e m i c | Phytopathological Society, Botani-

achievement and outstanding serv- cal Society of America and Sigma

Always interested in public vited to present a paper. He has

York's Bellevue Hospital, then Virology, member of the College

Although all of her fellow ference committee and Committee

appointees were assigned over- on Virology of the American Phyto-

daunted, she studied at Walter In the past, Dr. Takahashi has

Reed Hospital while waiting for served as director of the agricul-

tiation, she was sent to southern (1942-43); visiting doctor, Cornell

Italy where she eventually became University (1943-44); a John Simon

the California Public Health de- SACRAMENTO.-The Sacramento

partment, but was prevented for JACL Women's Auxiliary will meet

doing the kind of service she tonight at El Rancho Bowl to dis-

wanted to do because of her an- cuss a draft of by-laws and a

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chief of the post reponsible for Guggenheim Memorial fellow a

displaced person camps scattered Rochester, N.Y. (1944-45).

seas, she failed to get hers. Un- pathological Society.

cestry. Finally, she was allowed membership drive.

of one dollar or thereabouts for held under the threatening war One of the items which had been a fellow member's death would be clouds. Therefore, there was more given considerable study during made willingly. The only problem of the fervor of patriotism. The the previous two years was that and uncertainty was the extent of convention went on record, reaf-

gone on record and Northern Cali- The Second Generation Developfornia had also expressed its will- ment Program was also being ingness to go along with this worked out by our present national director, Masao Satow, who was Inasmuch as these two districts then a YMCA secretary in Los

sons of Japanese ancestry were

When the subject was first argument that the more money my years in office. brought up, the smaller chapters paid in, the demand for greater felt that they were willing to pay voice in the management of the

### Oakland for 1942

When the Northern California delegation went to Portland, they went with a bid from the district especially when they learned that council itself. The plan was to have the larger body be responsible for the convention and to designate the host city later on.

As it turned out, the Oakland chapter was assigned the respon-Another subject of general in- sibility of staging the national consurance. The Japanese Association chapters were assessed certain

operate National Headquarters As long as the details about Many chapters took similar action,

Dr. Takahashi is a member of

Study of Plant Virus

were the first to demonstrate that

some plant viruses are rod-shaped.

infected plants which, when added

tobacco mosaic virus, produced an

In 1958, he was given special

funds from the President of the

ternational Kongress of Biochemie

in Vienna, to which he was in-

had published approximately 80

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In 1933, he and Dr. T.E.Rawlins

collecting the money whenever a the finances of the National Headdeath occurred was worked out, quarters was in a precarious con-The 1940 National JACL Conven- such a program was considered to dition with the staff members gothreat to Southeast Asia and Ja- tion was held at Portland, Oregon be one of the means of binding ing without pay for about three

## National President

I had been dodging the office of National President, However, by this time, the seniority had expired. I could not find any way out so I had promised the Northern California leaders that I would run. And this is how it happened that I stepped into the office when the situation was most threatening.

It just turned out that I held I should become the national presi-

Those were the days when each president was expected to serve only one term. I was hoping that everything would turn out for the good without a war so that I could step down and have my successor take over the reins.

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